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 District Judge

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 St John's U (NY) 1971 JD  
 Began Service: January 12, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Attorney, Legal Aid Society of Nassau County (1971-1973);  
 Senior Staff Attorney, Legal Aid Society of Nassau County (1976-1979);  
 Deputy Bureau Chief, Office of the County Attorney, County of Nassau,  
 New York (1980-1987)

**Judicial:** Judge, Nassau County Tenth Judicial District Court, County of  
 Nassau, New York (1987-1991); Judge, Nassau County Criminal Court,  
 County of Nassau, New York (1992-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Seybert & Seybert

**Current Memberships:** Federal Judges Association; International  
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**Allyne R. Ross**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: Wellesley 1967 BA; Harvard 1970 JD  
 Began Service: 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney and Chief, Eastern District  
 of New York, Appeals Division, Office of the United States Attorney, United  
 Department of Justice (1976-1986)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern  
 District of New York (1986-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP  
 (1971-1976)

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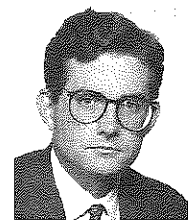
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**John Gleeson**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
 Education: Georgetown 1975 BA;  
 Virginia 1980 JD  
 Began Service: October 24, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Affiliation:** Adjunct Professor of Law, School of Law, New York University

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor of Law, Brooklyn Law School (1990-1997);  
 Visiting Professor of Law, University of Virginia (1994); Adjunct  
 Professor, School of Law, New York University (1995-2006)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Boyce F. Martin, United States Court  
 of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit (1980-1981)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of New  
 York, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of  
 Justice (1985-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP (1981-1985)

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**Nicholas G. Garaufis**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Columbia 1969 AB, 1974 JD  
 Began Service: August 28, 2000  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, Department of Law, State of New  
 York (1975-1979); Counsel to the Borough President, Borough of Queens,  
 City of New York, New York (1986-1995); Chief Counsel, Federal  
 Aviation Administration, United States Department of Transportation  
 (1995-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Chadbourne, Parke, Whiteside & Wolff LLP  
 (1974-1975)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve, United States Department of  
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**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Association of the  
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**Sandra J. Feuerstein**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: Vermont 1966 BA; Hunter MA; Cardozo 1979 JD  
 Began Service: October 23, 2003  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Affiliation:** Honorary Director, Board of Directors, Benjamin N. Cardozo  
 School of Law, Yeshiva University

**Academic:** Teacher, Union Free School District #31

**Clerkships:** Law Secretary The Honorable Leo F. McGinny, New York State  
 Supreme Court, Nassau County (1985-1987)

**Corporate:** Associate Editor, The Nassau Lawyer (1984-1987); Editor, The  
 Nassau Lawyer (1987-1989)

**Judicial:** Judge, Nassau County District Court (1987-1993); Associate  
 Justice, New York State Supreme Court, Tenth Judicial District  
 (1994-1999); Associate Justice, New York Supreme Court, Appellate  
 Division, Second Department (1999-2003)

**Chambers of District Judge Sandra J. Feuerstein** *continued*

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**Dora Lizette Irizarry**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: January 26, 1955  
 Education: Yale 1976 BA; Columbia JD  
 Began Service: August 30, 2004  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, Bronx County District Attorney,  
 City of New York, New York (1979); Special Assistant District Attorney,  
 Office of the Prosecutor, City of New York, New York (1981-1995);  
 Assistant District Attorney, New York County District Attorney (1987)

**Judicial:** Judge, New York City Criminal Court, City of New York, New  
 York (1995); Judge, The New York State Court of Claims (1997)

**Legal Practice:** Hoguet Newman & Regal, L.L.P.

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Council; Hispanic National Bar  
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**Sandra L. Townes**  
 District Judge

Education: Johnson C Smith 1966 BA; Syracuse 1976 JD  
 Began Service: September 2004  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Teacher of English, Carver High School (1966-1967); Teacher  
 of English, Dunbar High School (1967-1970); Teacher of English, District  
 of Columbia Evening Adult Education Program (1967-1970); Teacher  
 of English, Corcoran High School (1971-1973); Teacher of English,  
 P.E.A.C.E. Learning Center (1971-1973); Adjunct Professor, College of  
 Law, Syracuse University (1987-1995); Adjunct Professor, Onondaga  
 Community College (1992-1999)

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